

I am positively floored by Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election. The last time I checked, stations which use public airwaves free of charge are required by law to serve the public interest. One-sided propaganda of dubious veracity serves nothing but fascism, and I, for one, find that remarkably un-American.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Big Media:1, Democracy:0